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TWO BRADFORD BOY BURGULARS ARRESTED; VISITED SEVERAL PLACES

JUDGE BOUTON CONDEMNS POOL ROOM INFLUENCE

Speaks at "Y" Clubs Last Wednesday Night

Hon. J. W. Bouton in an address delivered on "Patriotism" Wednesday evening to the Y Clubs of Bradford strongly condemns the pool room influence in its effect on boys.

He says in part "I am not preaching a sermon but I wish to caution you against one place which, from my own experience I have come to know as the breeding place of sin and crime—the public pool rooms. The bar room is gone and now it is the pool room that is the rendezvous of young criminals, the one place, more than any other, where crimes are hatched. It is not the game of pool that I condemn, but the influence of the public pool room on the young manhood of this country.

"The country needs its boys. They will soon be the men who will administer its laws. The men who will be needed in future years to guide the destiny of this nation are the kind of men I hope each one of you will become."

D. A. R. HOLDS INTERESTING MEETING.

The November meeting of McKean Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, was held at the home of Mrs. W. E. VanDyke, on Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock with eight members and four guests present.

Following the business session the Regent, Mrs. R. Kessler, Jr., gave an excellent and comprehensive report of the State meeting held at Lancaster, October 22-25. This report showed that the D. A. R. is keenly interested in the development of patriotism, preservation of historical places, education, Americanization, law-enforcement, and other worth while things and is accomplishing much work along these lines.

Rev. W. E. VanDyke gave a splendid talk on Armistice Day. He spoke of the first Armistice Day as it was celebrated here and in Europe, the great hopes we had that day of a permanent world peace, and how we have failed to accomplish through the peace of Versailles. He dwelt upon the horrors of war and its aftermath and made a strong plea for world peace.

Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. VanDyke and Miss Mabel Day. Those present from away were Mrs. Pauline Burdick, Kane; Mrs. Belle Lauer, Port Allegany; Mrs. Elizabeth Gallup, Bradford; Mrs. Nettie Green, Ellicottville, N. Y.

FARM BUREAU MEETING HELD NOVEMBER 7.

At the Farm Bureau meeting held in the Court House Wednesday afternoon the following executive committee was elected: H. R. Hilton, Port Allegany; A. T. Larson, Kane; N. O. Hilliard, Lafayette; D. L. Dennis, Eldred; Ray Mosier, Coryville; Frank Deiter, Minard Run.

They will meet at an early date and plan the organization's work.

Splendid addresses were given by Professors Nixon and Nessley, both of State College.

The following out of town people attended the meeting: Mr. Crouse, Minard Run; Frank Fuller, Minard Run; N. O. Hillard, Lafayette; A. T. Larson, Kane; Rex Turner, Ceres C. R. Tubbs, Turtle Point; Ray Mosier, Coryville; Mr. and Mrs. Goff, Lafayette and Miss Josephine Cramer of Bradford.

CAUGHT ON THE JOB IN STORE ON HIGH STREET BY POLICE

CAR STOLEN.

The garage owned by Orson Stull located at the foot of Rew Hill was entered Sunday night by thieves and a Ford truck was taken but later was found abandoned on the other side of Rew Hill, near Bradford, due to the fact that there were no lights on the car. It looked like the work of amateurs because a Stutz touring car was in the same garage standing beside the Ford and it seems strange that it was not taken.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I take this method of thanking the voters of Keating township for their support for Supervisor.

LEWIS THOMAS.

ROOSTER BREAKS WINDSHIELD

Ted Bray of Farmers Valley, had a peculiar accident Tuesday p. m. when driving his Overland car home from Smethport near Sewdens.

A rooster flew against the windshield of his car with such a force as to break the glass and bring its own life to a sudden end.

FIRE AT ELDRED SATURDAY MORN

A fire at Eldred early Saturday morning destroyed Bernards Pool Room and the restaurant next to it. A call was sent here for aid, as it was feared the fire could not be controlled and a large number of buildings must burn, but the flames were gotten under control and assistance was not needed.

TWO ARRESTS MADE LATTER PART OF WEEK

C. L. Palmer of Ludlow was arrested Saturday by county Detective Jack Allison and State Trooper Barker and Pierce, for operating gambling devices in his place of business. Palmer runs a pool room in Ludlow, and the officials heard of his gambling methods some time ago, but when they visited him last spring, he had evidently been warned, for no evidence was visible.

However this fall not fearing detection he returned to his old ways and Saturday received a call from the officers mentioned, who gathered in his paraphenalia, consisting of several punch boards, $5 bills, Gillette safety razors, and boxes of candy.

He was released on $300 bail following a preliminary hearing before Justice A. W. Colegrove.

Arthur Cooney of Turtle Point, who was arrested Friday afternoon by County Detective Jack Allison, pleaded guilty at the hearing before Justice of the Peace A. W. Colegrove, Saturday afternoon to charges of operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquors. He was committed to the county jail in default of $500 bail for the next term of court.

FRED PETRUZZI CHAMPION TRAPPER.

These cool mornings the young and old trappers are busy catching muskrats and other furred animals. Fred Petruzzi of East Smethport, has to our knowledge, the greatest number of coons to his credit, of any trapper around here. His list at present is: 25 coons, 6 muskrats, 4 mink and 4 weasel.

HEMSTITCHING.

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Following a night of burgularious activity, Fred Bridge, age 18, of No. 25 Hilton street, and Roy Moore age 20, living at the Judd Block, were arrested by local police yesterday morning when they attempted to add 99 pennies to their loot by robbing the John W. Carey grocery store at No. 220 High st. They were nabbed while at work and after one had been slightly wounded in the arm by a shot.

The capture nipped the bud the ambitious plans of the two youths aspiring to banditry. They are now in the county jail awaiting trial for burgulary and the larceny of an automobile, from the garage of A. H. Longfellow of Longfellow avenue, having been held without bail by Alderman Foley yesterday afternoon.

Following a pre-arranged program, the two Monday night forced an entry in the Longfellow garage and appropriated the machine. They drove to Olean where, according to their admissions to police, they added to their courage with some beer and then proceeded to Portville, N. Y., and effected an entry into the offices of the J. H. Fay Mills company. The loot proving less remunerative than the young bandits had expected, only about $30 in small coins rewarding their efforts. With the money in a canvas bag, the pairs started back to Bradford.

Arriving here about 3 o'clock, they gained an entrance to the High street store by the simple expedient of breaking a glass panel and reaching in, unlocking the front door.

While they were at work looking for valuables, Mrs. H. G. Hulme of No. 230 High street, was awakened by noise in the store and her husband notified the police at 3:15 o'clock. Captain Peterson and Patrolman Fellows and McLaughlin rushed to the scene. Moore was successful in making a getaway after being wounded by a bullet fired either by Capt. Peterson or by Mr. Hulme, however, Bridge was found hiding under a counter.

On a tip from the Bay State hotel, Patrolman Fellows captured Moore in Kennedy street a short time later.

The prisoners were questioned at length this morning by County Detective Allison and Chief of Police Solt, who have charge of the case. The officials are trying to learn whether or not the two have committed other robberies in this section. It was learned, among other things, that Moore and Bridge have been helping themselves to cars in Bradford, for joy-riding purposes. Bridge also mentioned the name of another Bradford young man who has committed the same act in his company. From facts learned from the prisoners it would seem that they have no hesitancy whatever in helping themselves to anything they wish, that is not tied down, which seems strange of two men who are working for a livlihood every day.

B. F. Fairchild and H. S. Carr, owners of the Portville Mill, were notified this morning by Chief Solt that the burgulars of the Portville Mill had been caught and the mill men came at once to Bradford, and recovered their stolen money. The prisoners, while being questioned this morning, confessed of their own accord to the Portville robbrey, also to the theft of the Longfellow car. Bradford.13.

STATE FORESTER HERE.

Forester Elliott of Coudersport was in town Tuesday to confer with Game Protector L. K. Hogarth in regard to reforesting Game Refuge No 30 at Norwich.

LICENSES ARE NOT LEGAL WITHOUT BEARERS NAME AFFIXED TO LICENSE TAG

All Were Arrested and fined by Game Protector Hogarth. Two Hunters Without Licenses.

L. K. Hograth of this place state game protector, with headquarters at Harrisburg, Carl Benson, of Mt. Jewett, J. B. Ross, of Lock Haven, and Leo Cedarburg, of Hick Run, near Emporium, also state game protectors who had been scouring the woods of Potter, Cameron and Clinton counties, since the opening of the hunting season, to see that state game laws are respected, made twenty-seven arrests during that time. The majority of them were arrested for not having signed their license. They were each fined $5.00. Two men were arrested for hunting without a license, and were fined $20 each. When accosted by the officers claimed they had a license but did not have the credentials with them. This alibi did not excuse them so they were compelled to pay the fine.

The law says that all persons carrying license must affix their signature to the same on the document is not legal. The game protectors will work in this section of the State, beginning this week, and in an interview Saturday, one of them stated that there were undoubtedly many hunters in this vicinity who had failed to meet the requirements of the game laws by carrying unsigned licenses.

During the past week twenty-one game law violators in Forest and Clarion counties have been taken in custody by game protectors and wardens and have paid fines, most of these being for not having their hunting licenses signed or else on their caps, while in the woods.

According to the Marienville Express the game protectors called upon a young man by the name of John Ross in Clarion county recently. The young man has been to college and had become very keen to hunt and in his keenness started hunting in the Cook Forest a day or so ago before the season opened by law. The protectors objected something like $20. for the offense of killing a pheasant out of season.

BOLD HOLDUP IN BUFFALO DRUG STORE; WOMAN KILLED AND CLERK WOUNDED

REFUSED TO HOLD UP HANDS— LOCKED SAFE

Sister of Bradford Woman Shot Down by Bandits in Husband's Store When She Locked Safe Instead of Complying with Command to Hold Her Hands Up Husband and Clerk Wounded.

Buffalo, Nov. 12—Police early today arrested three young men who are strongly suspected of having been among the five bandits who late last night murdered Mrs. Mayme Bigham, 31, years old, sister of Mrs. Henry N. Prill of Bradford, Pa., in the drug store of her husband, George F. Bigham, at No. 20 Elmwood avenue, when they held up the place. The robbers also wounded Mr. Bigham and one of the three clerks—Everi Sherwood, 17 years old. A bullet passed through his right leg.

One of the prisoners was carrying a revolver when picked up in a Broadway restaurant by detective Sergt. Edward Strubick. All the suspects wore hats and clothes such as were described to police by Bigham and his employes, who got a good look at the robbers as they shot up the brilliantly lighted store.

Held Incommunicado.

The prisoners were sent to various precinct stations after being booked at police headquarters. They were ordered held incommunicado. All were in a highly nervous state when arrested.

Mr. Bigham was just counting the day's receipts, and the clerks, Sherwood, Ernest Wright, and Magdalene Schnabel, were talking in a group in the front of the store. Three men came to the front door and knocked. Thinking they were late purchasers, Mr. Bigham ordered them admitted, and when they entered they lined the clerks up, covering them with guns, while two of them forced Bigham to the rear of the store.

Mrs. Bigham was in a small office partitioned off from the rest of the store and did not realize what was going on till a third man looked in through a rear door and commanded her to hold up her hands. She stared amazed for a moment and then without hesitation, leaped for the safe, closing it, turned the

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THE GREAT REPUBLICAN VICTORY

UNOFFICIAL VOTE

Following is the unofficial county vote:

For county treasurer: Carey, 6,784; Benson 4,278. Carey's plurality, 2,516.

For sheriff: Barton, 7,142; Costello, 4,289. Barton's plurality, 2,853.

For prothonotary: Starsky, 5445 Buchanan, 1,846. Starsk's plurality 6,599.

For District Attorney: Potter, 7,971; Morrison, 2,171. Potter's plurality, 5,503.

For Register of Wills: Eastman, 6,224; Gates, 4,012. Eastman's plurality, 2,912.

For coroner: Hefner, 5,833; White, 4,191. Hefner's plurality, 1,642.

For county commissioner: Bond, 6,651; Halpenny, 5,785; Wynn, 4,119; O'Connor, 3,546. Wynn's plurality over O'Connor, 573.

For county auditor: Cooper, 6,756; Gallup, 5,214; Burdick, 2,185; Fraser, 2,074.

ORGANIZATION PLAN HEALTH EDUCATION

Organization Plan for the Promotion of Mouth Hygiene and and Public Dental Health Education.

A movement is now being made to interest people, especially the children in the care of their teeth.

The president of the State Dental Society has appointed 8 zone chiefs who in turn have appointed county and community captains in their respective zones to have charge of the work done in this line. Dr. C. R. Long of this place has been appointed captain for Smethport and his work will consist in organizing a local dentist committee, each to do his share of the work, secure printing of articles relating to dental hygiene in the local papers, have lecturers and talks, and where possible use films or descriptive charts for the school children; also to Boy and girl scouts and other child clubs and welfare organizations.

Make dental examinations and survey of school children in cooperation with school medical inspector and school authorities, offer assistance to local public nurses and make a strong effort to arouse interest in the care and preservation of the teeth.

In other towns where this work has been carried on the records show a 50 % decrease in the decay of the teeth of the school children.

CUNNINGHAM-ANDREWS

John C. Cunningham, well known civil war veteran, and Mrs. Connie Andrews of Tioga, Pa., were united in marriage Friday evening, Nov. 9th at the Nelson street residence. Justice A. W. Colegrove officiating.

Mr. Cunningham is a member of the famous Pennsylvania Bucktail regiment, his bride is the widow of one of his comrades in the army.

The Miner extends its hearty congratulations.

DIPHTHERIA IN THE COUNTY JAIL

The county jail is under quarantine, as Mrs. Pogson, matron of the jail and sister of the sheriff, Joe Robinson, is ill with diphtheria, and the health authorities have decreed that no one shall leave the jail during the quarantine period.

This of course finds little objection as the "guests" seldom leave the hostelry during their stay here.

The puzzling question is, can any one enter during quarantine? If not where to put new guests? And if quarantine regulations are no bar to ingress: Can an offender be committed to jail and forced to take his chances with diphtheria?

ALLIS-HARKINS.

Joseph Thomas Allis and Emma Harkins of McKeans were married at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage on Monday, November 12th, Rev. Guy Lawton officiating.

CONOPUS CLUB ENTERTAINS ROTARIANS OF BRADFORD

Twenty-Five From Bradford Are Dinner guests of Smethport Conopus Club.

About 25 Bradford Rotarians left Bradford at 6 p. m. Monday in automobiles for Smethport where they were the guest at dinner of the Conopus club of the county seat. The dinner was served in the dining room of the New Temple club building there and was a sumptuous repast.

Attendence prizes are always given by the Conopians at their meeting and Monday evening they included the names of their guests in the list of those eligible for prizes where by Harry E. Schonblom and Asher Johnson proved to be lucky in the selections made at the hands of County Commissioner Bond.

President Horace Renfield of the Conopus Club, presided and acted as toastmaster during the post-prandial program. Those who responded to a call by the toastmaster included Judge Bouton, Asher Johnson, Colonel A. D. Burns, Harry E. Shonblom, Fred D. Gallup, Esq., T. F. Hungiville, Joseph Rovaird, A. J. Bond and R. F. Habgood.

The occasion was a success in every way and reflected great credit upon the Conopus club. The subject chiefly discussed was the Good Roads Question. It was suggested and received enthusiastically, that a similar meeting be held as soon as convenient whereby all the different clubs of such a nature join in one dinner meeting for the purpose of acquaintance and unanimity, to include the Rotary club at Kane as well as Bradford, the Allegany Bridge club at Eldred and the Commercial club at Port Allegany to meet at Smethport likely under the auspices of the Conopus club here.

CLAM CHOWDER SALE

A Clam Chowder Sale will be held at St. Elizabeth's Church hall Friday at 3:00 o'clock p. m.

Bring Pails.

VICINITY NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Schoonmaker and Paul Schoonmaker of Olean spent Sunday here.

Lois Nourse and Don Nelson were Olean shoppers Saturday.

Helen Pierce of Farmers Valley spent the week end at her home.

Mrs. Archie Freeman of Hornell is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Cunningham.

The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. Schoonmaker Tuesday. There were twenty three present and all reported an enjoyable time.

O. D. Nourse left Monday for Pittsburgh where he will attend the meeting of the National Grange.

Mrs. Frank Burdick left last week for Wellsville where she expects to spend the winter with her daughter Mrs. Leon Wyant.

Florence Schoonmaker of Bradford spent the week end at her home.

Mrs. O. D. Nourse, daughter Gladys, Oneida Van Orman and Theresa Thealey were Bradford shoppers Saturday afternoon.

Mary Mathers of Eldred spent the week-end at her home.

Edith Cory of Coryville was in town over Sunday.

Frank Burdick and son Leo motored to Wellsville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Peterson of Eldred spent Sunday at F. H. Nourses.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dickinson motored to Russellas Monday.

Mary and Bertha Kleisath spent the week-end at their home in Reilley Hollow.

Paul Foster of Eldred was calling on friends in Reilly Hollow recently.

Gladys Nourse was calling on Mrs. Chester Marsh Saturday evening.

Mrs. Lou Abbey is much improved at this writing.

Mrs. A. L. Gallup is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mr. A. P. Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Nourse and J. V. Gallup attended Grange at Farmers Valley Saturday evening.

Lawrence Washburn and John Holcomb left Wednesday November 7th for Cleveland, Ohio where they expect to spend some time. The trip was made in the Holcomb car.

Clair Reeves, we understand, has purchased a Buick touring car.

The Civic Improvement Club met with Mrs. Arthur Witt, Monday evening.

John Carpenter of Olean was calling on O. D. Nourse's recently.

Mary Mather and George Atwell of Eldred, motored to Olean Monday evening.

LARABEE

Mrs. R. H. Nichols, Mrs. J. E. Brooder and daughter, Miss Ella Brooder were Port Allegany shoppers, Saturday.

Mrs. Evelyn Rhodes who is Assistant Cashier at the First National Bank of Eldred, spent Monday with her mother Mrs. Grace Stull of Stillitown as the Bank was closed on account of Armistice Day.

Mrs. Raymond Raszmann was an Olean shopper Saturday.

Curtis Frentz, representative of the Fairmont Creamery Company of Buffalo, was a business visitor in town Wednesday.

Miss Pearl Harris was a week-end guest of Miss Freda Johnson of Gordon Brook.

Mrs. Thomas Connelly was a guest of her sister, Mrs. William Sheehan of Olean last week.

Mrs. Katheryn Freeman and Mrs. Patrick Welsh of Eldred were the guests of Mrs. Lena Raszmann Friday.

In the election that was held in Eldred last Tuesday, J. T. Haynes was elected Township Auditor, R. A. Mosier, Township Supervisor; W. L. Mix, Inspector of Election and C. J. Carey, Judge of Election.

Miss Emma Carpenter of Westons spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Carpenter.

Mrs. Frank Pitcheork and son, Leo, Mrs. Glenn Appleby and daughter, Gertrude and George McAuliffe were Port Allegany business visitors Saturday.

F. D. Pendleton took his annual vacation last week. Pollo Odell of Eldred acted as relief operator in Mr. Pendletons place.

Mrs. Lloyd Burrows of Portville was a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Leete last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brooder and daughter, Miss Ella Brooder, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Wright of Eldred.

Mrs. Lottie Cameron, Mrs. Lulu Mills and Clyde George, motored to Ceres, Wednesday and were the guests of William Otto and family.

C. J. Carey was a Smethport business visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. William Sheehan, fo Olean is a guest at the home of her brother, Rev. M. E. Dailey of Sartwell.

J. T. Haynes and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Windsor of Coryville Sunday evening.

Frank Skiles attended State Grange in Pittsburgh last week.

Wilford McMillan and son, Francis, motored to Olean Sunday to meet Mr. McMillan's mother who comes from Indiana to spend the winter with them.

Mrs. Vird Dennis was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Clement at the home of his father, J. F. Clement of Eldred.

Mr. William Lewis is seriously ill at the home of relatives in Coudersport.

Misses Violet and Lucinda Lawton were week end guests of their grandparents at Turtle Point.

Mrs. Lottie Cameron visited friends in Port Allegany last week.

A surprise party was tendered Mrs. George Haynes and Mrs. Raymond Raszmann at the former's home Saturday evening, the occasion being their birthday. About thirty-five friends and relatives were present. Refreshments were served and games were played until midnight.

J. T. Haynes and family visited relatives in Bradford Monday evening.

CROSBY.

Mr. M. S. Parker of Farmers Valley was in town Thursday.

A deer with 3 prongs was seen on Fred Granteers farm Saturday.

Cecil Baker of Coleville was in town Saturday.

D. M. Walters spent Sunday here at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Wilcox and son Merle autoed to Kane Friday and spent the night with their daughter Mrs. Edward Peterson at Mt. Jewett.

Gerald Wilcox of Port Allegany visited his parents here Monday.

Miss Jennie Dinges spent the week-end at Coryville visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Matteson and Mrs. Earl Pixley autoed to Bradford Tuesday.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mulvihill, Sunday November 11th.

Mrs. Milford Lathorpe and Mrs. Hattie Lathorpe Mrs. Marla Swanson autoed to Bradford Tuesday.

Mrs. Augusta Walters is visiting friends in Smethport.

Mrs. J. A. Cleveland spent Wednesday with her mother Mrs. Berg.

Adolph Berg of Port Allegany spent Sunday here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. N. Berg.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Benson and Mrs. Minnie Hogstead, daughter Gladys autoed to Olean Sunday.

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Rev. V. H. Oviatt, pastor.

Sunday School 10:30 a. m.

Morning worship at 11:30 a. m.

Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m.

FARMERS VALLEY U B CHURCH.

Rev. V. H. Oviatt, pastor.

Sunday School at 2 p. m.

Preaching Service 3 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday 4:30 p. m.

The Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. M. S. Parker Thursday November 15th.

CORYVILLE U. B. CHURCH.

Rev. V. H. Oviatt, pastor.

Sunday School at 10:00 a. m.

The women's Missionary Society will give a Missionary pageant Sunday evening at 8 p. m. at the Grange hall. All are welcome.

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. S. A. Renicks Pastor.

The Baptist will meet in their own church next Sabbath morning and evening. The church building has been under repairs for over three months. There will be preaching by the Pastor at 10:30 a. m. Sunday School 11:45, a. m. The Honorable Judge Bouton of Smethport, will give an address on Law Enforcement at 7:30, p. m. We trust this will be a Union meeting of all the churches in Smethport. All the Borough Officers, every American Citizen of the Borough should make it his and her business to hear the Address. Let all roads lead to the Baptist, church on Sunday night, come one and all. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30. All are more than Welcome.

OLE BULL IN WELLSVILLE.

Loses His Violin in Payment of Board Bill at Van Buren Hotel

Wellsville Reporter—In the early days of Wellsville William Van Buren conducted a hotel here known as the Van Buren House. It was located where now stands the Hotel Fassett. The following story of Ole Bull, and the predicament he found himself in on a visit to Wellsville appeared in the Reporter many years ago. A friend preserved the article and handed it in for republication. It will be interesting to many Reporter readers of today:

"Editor Reporter.—Wellsville played in the fall of 1853 an important factor in the life history of the famous musician, Ole Bull. In the wilds of Potter county, Pa., this man had in company with a large number of his countrymen, Norwegians, bought 12,000 acres of land. They named this colony Oleona, or New Bergen. On the summit of a hill in the Kettle Creek valley the ruins of Ole Bull's cabin are still to be seen. For some time everything was all right, but one morning Ole Bull and his Companions found out that the deeds for their 12,000 acres of land were not worth one cent, that they had been fooled out of their money. They had either to go begging or to starve. The colonists blamed Ole Bull for all this and at one time came near lynching him. Ole Bull saw at once that something must be done to keep the colonists from starvation, so he took his violin which had brought already thousands of dollars and went away like a thief in the night. He gave his first concert at Lock Haven, went to Williamsport, Philadelphia, New York and Boston. From the money he earned he bought provisions and sent them to his colonists, also money every cent of it went to Oleona. His countrymen were of course, delighted and entirely reconciled to Ole Bull and with great joy they welcomed the good news, that Ole Bull would return in a few days and meet all his friends in the concert hall of the [illegible].

Men, women, children, strangers, everybody came to meet him and to greet him on the day of his promised arrival.

But, alas, the day came and passed but Ole Bull did not come home. After two days a letter arrived dated Wellsville, Allegany county, N. Y., and explained why he would not keep his promise. Ole Bull had stopped at the Van Buren Hotel in Wellsville, but had no money enough to pay his hotel bill. The hotel keeper brought Ole before the justice and this wise man sized the violin to settle the bill. Without his violin Ole did not care to travel to Oleona. Some friends helped him out of the difficulty. He went to Chicago and the west and married in Wisconsin some months later. He never saw Oleona again but went back to Norway and died in 1880, a very rich man.

Thus has Wellsville some part in the history of a celebrated man and may be proud of it.

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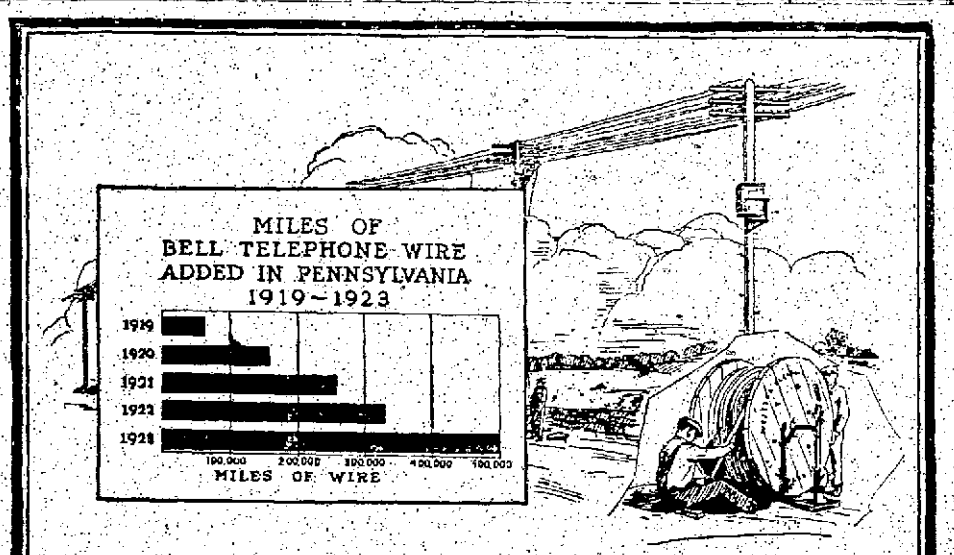

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PNEUMONIA TAKES GAS FIRE VICTIM.

Willard Lundgren, of Mt. Jewett who was seriously burned by the ignition of gasoline, while he was filling the tank of his automobile in front of the Square Deal Garage, in that place on October 21, died at the local hospital yesterday morning. Death was due to pneumonia which followed the accident.

It will be remembered that the hose of the gasoline pump was accidentally pulled from the gas tank of the car and Lundgren was burned about the legs.

The deceased was 30 years old and is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sonne Lundgren and several brothers. The remains were taken to Mt. Jewett yesterday afternoon.—Kane Republican, November 8.

ELDRED EAGLE SOLD.

MacDonald & Randall, the New Proprietors, Took Possession.

The Eldred Eagle and printing plant was sold this week to Messrs. A. A. MacDonald and W. A. Randall, two practical and experienced printers of Olean, possession being taken by the new proprietors on Monday of this week.

Mr. MacDonald has been on the Olean Herald for several years and Mr. Randall with the Olean Times for about 11 years. It will be their purpose to put energetic action behind the Old Bird and make her pick up her old feathers and spread out her wings and give readers a paper representation of the town as mentioned by the support given them.

For 15 years the Eagle has been issued without a break. It has always enjoyed good support and has always tried to support all measures of public good. With two good workmen behind it now, it should go even better than in the past, and the Messrs. MacDonald & Randall are anxious to please and fulfill all the obligations of proprietorship as rapidly as they can familiarize themselves with the local conditions.—Eldred Eagle, November 9, 1923.

CAR STRIKES CULVERT AND TWO ARE HURT.

Two Lewis Run Men Slightly Injured in Accident on State Road Near South Bradford.

Yesterday afternoon Peter Monago and Daisy Zannelli of Lewis Run met with an automobile accident, while driving to their home in the latter's car. They had reached a point near the South Bradford school building and were attempting to pass an automobile and keep from hitting a team of horses at the same time. The driver drove to the extreme side of the road to clear the two vehicles and in so doing hit the culvert.

It is very fortunate that the two occupants were not seriously hurt, as if was they escaped with severe and painful cuts lacerations not believed to be of a dangerous nature.

Flying glass from the shattered windshield cut both of the men on the head in many places and Zannelli also suffered a cut on the arm. His side was hurt when he struck against the steering wheel with considerable force but it is not believed that his ribs are broken.

Peter Monago was taken to the Bradford hospital, where he remained but a few minutes and was then taken home. Mr. Monago is still confined to his home today but his companion in the accident is about as usual. Dr. O. S. Hannum of Bradford attended Zannelli. The machine was badly damaged in the accident.—Bradford Star, Nov 9.

HUNTER KILLS FRIEND, INJURES SECOND MAN.

Two Members of party Mistaken For Bear By Third.

Coudersport, Nov. 10.—William J. Wychunas, 23 years old, of Hazelton, Luzerne county, was shot and instantly killed by Harry Hersker, 49 years old of the same city, on the Pipe Line Trail, Indian Run branch of Kettle Creek, in Stewardson Township, and George Kuski, also of Hazelton, was wounded in the left shoulder by a bullet, fired by the same man. A party of hunters of Hazelton were camping a the Wenzel Karhan home, one mile below Carter camp, on the Jersey Shore Turn Pike, hunting bear.

Wychunas and Kuski were coming up the trail toward the camp as Hersker started down the trail. In the darkness two objects could be distinguished to be moving, and believing them bears Husker fired. Wychunas fell, shot through the neck and spine. Hersker fired twice again and the second bullet entered the shoulder of Husker. The latter shouted for help and members of the party on the Pike, at the mouth of the Run, came to their aid. When they reached the two Hersker was sitting on the ground weeping and holding the dead body of Wychunas his friend. The dead man is survived by his parents, one brother who was in the hunting party, and five sisters. Hersker paid all funeral expenses and all charges and stated to the coroner that he would see that the parents of his friends would be financially recompensed for the loss of their son. He and his brother were the only support of the parents and sisters.

CLYDE NULL DEAD.

Wife Heard Muffled Sounds; Bullet Enters. Body Directly Over The Heart.

Clyde I. Null was found dead in the basement of his home at 436 Allenhurst Avenue at 6:50 o'clock last evening, after his wife had heard a muffled sound resembling a shot. Neighbors were summoned and within a short time physicians arrived, but the body was lifeless.

A jury empaneled last evening by Coroner A. C. Lohr of St. Marys, gave the following verdict, giving Null his death by the accidental discharge of a .32 calibre Winchester sporting rifle. The jury was composing of Rik H. Smith, Earl W. Kettler, Law D. Sykes, Frank R. Morlatz, Frank E. McCracken and F. J. Hammond.

About ten feet from the body lay a Winchester rifle with one exploded shell in the chamber. It is presumed that Mr. Null had intended to or was cleaning the weapon when it discharged. The bullet entered the body directly over the heart and passed out through the back. Powder burns indicated that the muzzle of the gun had been very close when it was fired.

Mr. Null is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Null of this place, his wife and two children, boys, aged ten and three years.

Funeral services will be Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from Trinity M. E. Church.—Ridgway Advocate, Nov. 7.

BROKEN LEG KILLS WOMAN 95 YEARS OLD.

Coudersport, Pa., Nov. 12.—Mrs. Margaret Heinrich, 95 years old, is dead at West Branch. She was born in Wittenberg, Germany, and came to this country in early age. She has made her home with a son, William, near Germania, for quite a number of years. Several nights ago she arose from her bed to go to the kitchen and unknown to any of the family fell and broke her leg. Until this time she has been in fairly good health for a woman of 95 years. The funeral will be held in Germania, Monday.

MARRIAGE AT SMOKER. TRICK OF MAGICIAN.

Coudersport, Pa., November 12.—At the American Legion smoker, Armistice Day, John Baker, sleight of hand performer, promised a performance that would be different.

He invited the Presbyterian minister, Rev. Charles Sherrer Beatty and James White to assist him. He went to the front door and a young woman entered and the performance John pulled was a wedding ceremony, which made him and Mrs. Jennie Saulters man and wife.

WAITING AT THE CHURCH.

A number of the friends of Herbert Moran, received invitations Tuesday to be present at the marriage ceremony Wednesday morning, at which time he was to wed Miss Mildred Labbe, a charming young lady of St. Marys.

As Herb has a reputation for truth and veracity his friends never thought he would take advantage of their faith in him, and were somewhat surprised to learn he had "put one over on them." At least he changed his mind and the ceremony was performed Tuesday evening by Rev. F. S. Doyle and the bridal couple were safe and away by the time the news leaked out.

There will be, undoubtedly a sequel to this chapter on their return home.

The bride is a well known lady of St. Marys, where Mr. Moran made her acquaintance during the Elko baseball season. She is a millinery designer and for the past three years has been in Denver, Colorado.

Their many friends wish them much happiness.—Potter County Journal, Nov. 8.

TWO AUTOMOBILES COME TOGETHER.

Considerably Smashed Up by Impact But Fortunately No One Was Injured.

Sunday evening about seven o'clock while returning from Galeton the Chandler car owned by Joseph Menschel and driven by his son Arthur, accompanied by Mrs. Menschel, Mrs. Geo. Rudolph and children, made a side-swipe into a car driven by John D. Davies, of Allentown, a traveling salesman, on Sweden Hill. Both cars were considerably damaged by the impact but fortunately no one was injured. Menschel was blinded by the glaring headlights of the Davies cars and due to the slippery condition of the road from the drizzling rain, it would be difficult to say just who was to blame. Henry Miller, of East Second street went to the scene of the passengers and brought them home.—Potter Enterprise, Nov. 8.

LEASED THE "YELLOW BOWL."

Mrs. F. D. Knox, Mrs. C. H. Kiehle, and Miss Louise Lockwood have leased the Yellow Bowl Tea Room from Mrs. R. A. Knox for a period of six months and will conduct that popular place in the same up to date manner as formerly.

The Yellow Bowl has enjoyed liberal patronage heretofore and which will no doubt continue under the new management.—Coudersport Io.

SURVEYING MT. JEWETT ROAD.

Two State Highway Department crews are now busily engaged in making a survey of the road between Mazeltharst and Mt. Jewett. Three and one half miles of this part of the Smethport to Mt. Jewett highway were authorized to be constructed this year but the work has been delayed to an extent that actual construction work will have to be delayed to next season. In the event the $50,000,000 road bond issue carries the entire unimproved stretch between Kasson and Mt. Jewett will undoubtedly be completed next year.—Elk Co. Gazette Nov. 8.

HUNTER SHOT BEAR AS IT LAY IN LOG.

Animal Taken Near Kanesholm Dressed 220 Pounds.

The largest bear brought to Kane thus far this season hangs in front of the residence of George Trimble 501 Chase street, and the animal was shot on election day by Walfred Holt, who occupied rooms at the Trimble home. The bear was shot several miles back of Kanesholm, not far from Halsey.

Holt was hunting rabbits and heard a noise in the brush and about that time his rabbit hound came running upward him in a state of apparent fear. Holt investigated and lying in a hollow log he found the bear. Three shots were sufficient to put the animal out and after dispatching it, Holt endeavored to pull it from the log, but was unable to do so until he secured help. The animal was taken to Halsey, where it dressed 220 lbs.

Yesterday morning about 4 o'clock, Al Huff who resides on his farm at Toby Springs heard a commotion raised by two dogs. The noise kept up until Mr. Huff arose about 7 o'clock and taking his gun he went in the direction from whence it came. He found a large black bear, backed up against a log with the two dogs worrying it. One bullet brought the bear down and it weighed about 250 pounds.

Mrs. Mark James, of Warren, is hailed as one of the best huntswomen of the city as Monday while hunting near Tidioute she shot a young bear weighing 100 pounds. The animal was nice and fat and when it was dressed it proved to be one of the finest specimens shot this season. This is the first bear this season to fall before the gun of a Warren women and Mrs. James succeeded in laying out the animal at the first shot. It was brought to Warren, Kane Republican, November 8.

NOTICE

The following accounts of administrators, executors and guardians having been settled in the office of the Register of Wills, the same will be presented for confirmation at the Orphans' Court to be held at Smethport, in and for the County of McKean, in the state of Pennsylvania on the second Monday of *December*, A. D. 1923.

Second and final account of James George and Samuel Dewar, Executors of the Last Will and Testament of Robert Long, deceased.

First and final Account of P. A. Bloomquist, Administrator of the Estate of Albertina Westburg, deceased.

First, Final and Distribution Account of William H. Evans, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Cora B. Evans, deceased.

First, Final and Distribution Account of Hamlin Bank and Trust Co., Administrator of the Estate of Grant Carpenter, deceased.

First and Final Account of Adaline M. Irons, Executrix of the last Will and Testament of Wilbur Irons, deceased.

First and Final Account of F. M. Nash Administrator of the Estate of Annie Bupp, deceased.

First, Final and Distribution Account of Earl Holley, Administrator of the Estate of Ada E. Halley, deceased.

First, Final and Distributive Account of Edwin L. Jones, Executor of the last Will and Testament of Mary D. Park, deceased.

First, Final and Distributive Account of McKean County Trust Company, Executor of the last Will and Testament of Cora A. Roberts, deceased.

First and Final Account of McKean County Trust Company, Trustee of the last Will and Testament of Cora A. Roberts, deceased.

First, Final and Distribution Account of S. John Benson, Administrator C. T. A. of the last Will and Testament of Josephine Hempstead otherwise known as Bertha J. Hempstead deceased.

First and Final Account of Anna E. Palmquist, Administrator of the Estate of Gust. Palmquist, deceased.

First and Final Account of E. A. Goodrich, Executor of the last Will and Testament of Fred E. Cleveland, deceased.

First and Final Account of Rose L. Herzog, Guardian of Herbert L. Herzog, late a minor child of W. O. Herzog deceased.

First and Final Account of Clara Stickles, Executrix of the last Will and Testament of Byron Stickles, deceased, who was one of the Executors of the last Will and Testament of Hiram S. Stickles, deceased.

First and Final Account of Charles G. Hubbard, Executor of the last Will and Testament of Delila J. Colwell, deceased.

Final Account of J. H. Kahle, Administrator C. T. A. of the last Will and Testament of Emma A. Bell, deceased.

JOHN B. EASTMAN,
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THE ANNUAL ROLL CALL

The approach of the Seventh Annual Roll Call should find everyone ready to re-enroll as a member of the American Red Cross. The Red Cross is welding itself into the life of the nation in times of peace as it did in the days of war. Its vigilance and its power to act quickly and efficiently to allay human suffering wherever it occurs depends upon its resources. The equipment of this great army of mercy must never be allowed to rust.

The record during the past year is one of which they may be justly proud. In Greece and in Japan they aided materially in repairing the havoc of the crushing disasters. In every section of our own country the work has steadily progressed and broadened.

The vision of future conquests over human suffering should inspire us to make this Roll Call memorable. They ask only that they may still further serve.

AN UNPARDONABLE SIN

To be in a community, to make a living off of it, to educate your children from it, to get everything you can out of it, and put absolutely nothing into an organization that constantly works for the benefit of your city.

The above might aptly be applied to the man who benefits by the Chamber of Commerce, Commercial Club, etc, but who feels that it is not his duty to supply any of the money.

Every town has a few men who reap benefits from the efforts and the expenditure of others, without putting out themselves.

WHY STICK IN MUD

Charles Pillman in The Blue Earth, Minn. Post: Heard a new one another day. A young man traveling in a Ford car and looking for work on a farm stopped at the Peschke farm north of town. George did not need a man at that time, but told him a man by the name of Burke living a mile and a half west, needed a man, and money was always ready. "Does he live on a graveled road?" inquired the young man. Answered in the negative the fellow remarked in departing that he would not work for any blankety blank man who does not live on the graveled road."

THINK NOW, BUY LATER

You are not ready to do your Christmas shopping just yet but you might do a little thinking now. Probably you know now whom you are going to remember at Christmas time. Make mental notes of what they will need, what they desire. Then you can give them presents that will be appreciated.

Some of the gifts selected at the eleventh hour are as inappropriate as twin beds would be for an old maid, or a hair dye for a bald-headed man.

Think now and buy later.

Marriage is said to be getting to be a business contract, and the girls should advertise for sealed proposals with plans and specifications.

Safety as well as courtesy demands that you give at least half of the road to the other fellow. The road hog is just as much of a criminal and a menace to society as the thug. Be a decent member of the community.

ARMISTICE DAY

Again the nation observes Armistice Day, this time with earnest speeches and patriotic parades somewhat more serious and self-controlled than the wild rejoicing of Nov. 11 just five years ago.

The day is not a national holiday, although it has been proclaimed a holiday in several states, including Pennsylvania. Observance of some sort appears to be inevitable, and in time it may take the form of a holiday like Memorial Day or Fourth of July.

The reason for this persistent feeling for Armistice Day appears to lie in a widespread longing for world peace—peace that is just and self-respecting and active. If the armistice declared in western Europe in 1918 can ever be made permanent and worldwide in the spirit and deeds of nations, its anniversary will become as glorious a holiday as any we now know.—Era. 12.

It is all right to train your son for a white collar job if you don't spoil him by teaching him to eat heartily.

Enthusiasts who are telling Henry about it should remember that it takes hot water to start a Ford now, no hot air.

The first time a man drops 20 stories in an express elevator, he wonders dismally why his stomach doesn't come along.

The occasional marriage of a film star is a relief in the dreary procession in the news columns of the movie people's divorce and libel suits.

No, The Stokes case hasn't gone—it is only going. Mrs. Stokes' action for separation comes before the court today.—Nov. 12.

DEER KILLED BY TRAIN.

Monday a. m., a deer weighing about 70 pounds was found in a wounded condition on the rail road track above Clermont by the engineer on passenger train No. 12 on the Shawmut railroad. The deer had evidently been hit earlier in the day by a pusher or freight car and left to die. The animal had a broken back and five broken ribs but was still alive, although unable to move. It was brought to Smethport and L. K. Hogarth, Game protector, had it put out of its misery. The meat was sent to the Bradford hospital.

FUNERAL OF MRS. ROBERT OLIVER.

The funeral of Mrs. Robert Oliver was held at her late home at Farmers Valley, Pa., Nov. 8, 1923 amid a profusion of flowers, silent witnesses to the love and esteem in which she was held by her relatives and friends.

It was conducted by Mr. Miner Johnson, Jamestown, N. Y., Ecclesiastical International Bible Student's Association. Burial was at Smith's cemetery.

The Pall Bearers were nephews of deceased: Oscar Crooks, Robert Ferrington, Arthur DeRosia, Robert Cleveland, Sylvanus Pierce and Will Finney. The out of town people present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Conners and son Luke, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Perry and daughter Dawn, Mrs. N. S. Pyles of Shinglehouse, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crook and son, Oscar, Little Genesee, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kropp and children, Andover, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lamberton, Cuba, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Ferrington, West Clarksville, N. Y., Mrs. Zella Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur DeRosia from Bradford, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. L. Brink, Rew, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Geo Brougham, Ormsby, Pa., Mrs. Orlo Cory, Kanes, Pa., Mr. Elder, Coleville, Pa.

CLERMONT

Glenn Anderson and Joseph Smith were Smethport visitors Thursday.

Clyde Whitaker was calling in town Saturday evening.

Mrs. John Clay returned from Port Alleany where she was called by the death of her father, Mr. Forner.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Booth and Mr. and Mrs. David Schlief of Smethport were in town Sunday afternoon.

Hilda Hogman spent Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Clair Flickinger.

Mr. G. C. Aderholt spent Sunday at his home here.

Miss Bernardine Gillen of Smethport spent the week-end here the guests of Ellen Anderson.

Vera Patterson spent Sunday at her home near Smethport.

The dance at Hazelhurst Friday evening was largely attended, among those whom attended from here were Misses Sara, Anna and Mary Spadafore, John Aloe, Clarence Johnson, Clifford Anderson and Bob Perry.

A surprise party was held on Albert Anderson at his home Saturday evening, Nov 10, the occasion being his birthday. The evening was spent in dancing and playing games after which a most delicious lunch was served. A good time was reported.

Sara Spadafore spent the week-end at her home here.

William Fields was a town caller Tuesday.

Mrs. G. C. Aderholt was an Olean visitor Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. C. E. Woodhead is spending a few days at his home in Rochester, N. Y.

Messrs H. Kinney, Fred Summerson and F. Lorenzie of Betula were in town Tuesday.

Mrs. A. J. Spadafore was visiting at her home in Crosby Wednesday.

Messrs Chas Smith and Mike Elnski and families left for North Tonowanda, N. Y., where they expect to make their future home.

CLAM BAKE GREAT SUCCESS

About one-hundred people attended the clam bake given Sunday by Bucktail Post, American Legion, at the Neilly farm in Irons Hollow.

An abundance of good eatables was on hand including clams in all forms, roast pork etc, and every one feasted accordingly.

The Post is raising money to pay the rent on its new club rooms in the Rubin building and it is thought that the results of the clam bake will give it a substantial boost.

SHERIFF SALES.

BY VIRTUE of sundry writs of Fieri Facias and other writs, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas and out of the Court of Quarter Sessions of McKean County, Penna., and to me directed, I will expose at public sale at the Court House in the Borough of Smethport, McKean County, Penna. on Monday, December 10th, 1923, at one o'clock P. M.

1.

The defendant's interests in and to that certain piece, parcel or lot of land, situate in the City of Bradford, County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows:—

Beginning at a point in the Westerly side of River Street being the Northwest corner of lot of land sold by grantors herein to A. Miller & Son; thence Westerly along the Northerly line of said A. Miller & Son lot seventy (70) feet more or less to the easterly bank of the East branch of the Tunungwant Creek; thence on a Northerly direction along the various courses of said creek sixteen (16) feet, more or less, to the Southerly line of North Street; thence Easterly along said North Street seventy-five (75) feet, more or less to River Street; thence Southerly along said River Street sixteen (16) feet, more or less to the place of beginning.

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2.

The defendant's interests in all that certain lot or lots of land situate in the Township of Hamlin, County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, and being in Warrant No. 2671, according to the Powell and Marsh survey, bounded and described as follows, viz:—viz:—Beginning at a post set by Alson Rogers for the eastern corner of a 6th acre lot of land conveyed to Gustaf Fredell by Elizabeth D. Kane by deed bearing date of the 28th day of July, A. D., 1884, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for the County of McKean in D. B. Vol. 25, page 359; thence south 35° 50' east 18.64 rods to a post 50 feet west of land formerly contracted to C. Larson; thence by the west side of a proposed road for public use south 12° 30' west 10 rods south 20° west 10 rods south 35° west 16 rods; thence by line of Powell and Marsh for the south line of Warrant 2671 north 85° and 50' west 33.08 rods; thence north 35° 50' west 22.56 rods; thence by land formerly of the said Gustaf Fredell to the place of beginning. Containing 13.53 acres, be the same more or less. Being the same land conveyed by Gustaf Fredell to Carl Fredell by special warranty deed, bearing date of 21st of January, A. D., 1921, and filed for record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for the County of McKean, on the 23rd day of February, A. D., 1921.

3.

All that certain tract, piece, parcel or lot of land in Hamlin Township, County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, being part of Warrant 2671, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post in the south side of the Big Level Road; Thence by the said south side of the road north 54° east 46 rods; thence by land formerly conveyed to the said Gustaf Fredell as trustee, by Elizabeth D. Kane, by indenture dated the 28th day of July A. D., 1884, and not recorded south 36° east 10 rods, south 54° and west 10 rods, south 36° east 11.66 rods north 54 degrees east 12 rods; thence south 36 degrees, east 7.8 rods; thence south 22° west 48.68 rods to a post; thence north 39° 40' minutes west 46.7 rods to the place of beginning, Containing 10 acres of land, more or less.

4

All that certain tract, parcel or lot of land in the Township of Hamlin, County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, and being lot No. 14 of the Thomas L. Kane lands in said Township, bounded and described as follows:—Beginning at a post on the north side of the Big Level Road, marking the southeast corner of land, now or formerly of G. and J. Mellander; thence north 15.5° west 155 rods to a south post marking the northeast corner of land of G. and J. Mellander aforesaid; thence 85.5° east 71 rods to a post; thence by land now or formerly of N. J. Nilson south to a post on the northwest side of the Big Level Road, marking the southwest corner of land of N. J. Nilson aforesaid; thence by line of said lot in a southwesterly direction to the place of beginning, Containing 50 acres of land more or less.

The premises described in the second and third paragraph being the same premises conveyed to Carl Fredell by quit claim deed by Gustaf Fredell and Agnes Fredell, as surviving husband and heir of Matilda Fredell, deceased, bearing date of 21st day of February, A. D., 1921, and filed for record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds in and for the County of McKean, on the 23rd day of February, A. D., 1921.

Excepting and reserving all that certain piece, parcel or lot of land in the Township of Hamlin, County of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, and being part Lot No. 14 of the Thomas L. Kane lands in said Township, obtained and described as follows: Beginning at a post on the northerly side of the Big Level Road, marking the southeast corner of land now or formerly of G. and J. Mellander, thence in a northerly direction a distance of seventy feet (70ft), more or less, to the southerly line of the right of way of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad; thence in a easterly direction, along the southerly line of said right of way, a distance of 623 feet, more or less, to the westerly line of a private road or lane; in a southerly direction a distance of one hundred thirty-five feet (135 ft) more or less, to the northerly line of the Big Level Road; thence along the northerly line of said road, a distance of six hundred fifty feet (650 ft) more or less, to the place of beginning. Containing one and one half acres of land, more or less.

Improved and having thereon frame dwelling house and usual barns and outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution and will be sold as the property of Carl E. Fredell at the suit of August Anderson.

Lester H. Simmons,
Atty for Plaintiff.
Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Penna.
J. F. ROBINSON, Sheriff.

LARGE DEER SEEN AT COLEGROVE

Early Sunday a. m. an eight pronged buck deer was seen near Charley Herzogs home at Norwich, the animal was a large one and unusually fearless to venturers so near to a house. He was seen by a number of people.

FIDELITY GRANGE MEETS

The Fidelity Grange meeting was held in the Coryville hall Wednesday evening. The following officers were elected: Master, O. D. Nourse, East Smethport; Secretary, P. S. Crossman, Smethport; Lecturer, Samuel Green, Smethport.

They will be installed the first Wednesday in January. The meeting voted to invite the masters, secretaries and lecturers of all the subordinate granges in the county to a conference on that day to attend the installation to be performed by a state officer.

TURTLE POINT

Mr. John Murphy autoed to Bradford Sunday.

Jim Dunn, Jr., and wife were calling on his aunt Mrs. Ryan at Annin Creek Sunday.

Tommie Murphy of Roulette was calling on friends at Annin Creek Sunday.

James Lundigan from Rock Run was an afternoon guest at T. F. Hughes Sunday.

Quite a number around this place are having hard colds.

Dave Woodard and Patsy Murphy autoed to Smethport one day last week.

Herbert McGill is seen on our streets quite frequently.

Mr. and Mrs. Haines have gone to housekeeping over Knapps store, they were from Franklinville.

Mrs. Pat Mullin who has been very sick for a long time is very much worse at this writing, she now lives at Portville, she was at one time a resident of Turtle Point.

Will Culvert was in Turtle Point Tuesday on business.

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AFFAIRS OF ANOTOL

Pathe News.

COMING—COLLEEN MOORE IN THE HUNTRESS.

PERSONALS

Dr. and Mrs. Burg Chadwick returned Thursday from Canandaigua, N. Y., where they were called by the death of the latter's brother W. W. Baker, who died suddenly the preceding Friday, following an operation.

C. H. Gleason has recently purchased a Radio-phone Receiver from Geo. H. Ransom of the Miner office force and expresses great satisfaction with the same.

Step into McCoys Drug Store and see the bargains that can be purchased at their cut price sale.

Born to Mrs. Walter Stephens at the Kane Hospital Friday, a baby daughter. Mrs. Stephens was formerly Miss Harriet Rogers of Mt. Jewett.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Apple and children spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Apple of King Street.

Misses Mate Connolly, Alice Irons and Ellen Anderson were Bradford visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Schwab and Mr. and Mrs. Richards of Bradford were in town Monday and took dinner at the Grand Central.

Mrs. F. P. Whelan and sons Fenton and William, Miss Kathryn Slagle and Mr. Jack Redmond of Bradford motored to Olean Sunday and were the guests of Miss Lucy Whelan.

Dorothy Miller, Agnes Mundy and Kathryn Slagle were Bradford visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Alice Lyle and daughter Chloe spent the week end in Olean and Shinglehouse.

The following people left on Monday morning for Pittsburgh, Pa., to attend the state and national grange meetings; Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Nourse and Henry Rice of Smethport; C. R. Tubbs and Miss Anna McCary of Turtle Point, Misses Laura and Beatrice Day of Farmers Valley.

Merle Backus of Bradford was a Smethport visitor Saturday afternoon.

P. S. Crossman, superintendent of the Farm Bureau, went to Port Allegany to pack wool for the McKean county pool.

W. J. Kerr is spending the week at his mother's in Ceres, Pa.

Mrs. C. O. Taylor entertained the Five Hundred club at her home Wednesday evening with a 6 o'clock dinner.

Mrs. John Lindholm entertained for her daughter Mrs. P. Peterson of Mt. Jewett, Thursday evening, the occasion being the latter's birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Laura Van Dusen, teacher of the 7th grade, is confined to her home by illness. Lucille Hovis is substituting during her absence.

F. D. Gallup of Bradford was in town Monday, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. E. G. Potter and family.

Catherine Curran is ill with tonsilitis this week.

Harry Backus, Jr., was ill the latter part of the week.

Guy McCoy and daughter, Mary and Clarissa Backus, motored to Bradford Saturday evening.

Mrs. Belle L. Laner of Port Allegany; Mrs. Emma Bovaird of Bradford and Mrs. Fantine R. Burdick of Kane, were in town Monday to attend the meeting of the Mothers Assistance Fund Board.

Frank Meyers of Bradford was in town Monday.

Mrs. B. W. Heinemann of Colegrove, left Tuesday for a short stay in New York City.

Harry Weaver of Pine Station, Pa., is working at the Colegrove station.

H. G. German has had an addition built on his residence on King St.

Mrs. Guy McCoy returned Saturday from Rochester, N. Y., where she had been on a business trip.

Mrs. W. S. Palmer entertained the Auction Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon at her home on Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Grabe and family of Port Allegany spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Corwin.

Lois Green entertained the Canonada Camp Fire Girls at her home on King street Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Green, Lois Green, Elsie Sherer and Babe Kelly motored to Bradford and Seneca Junction Sunday.

Mrs. Albert Cleveland was a Warren, Pa., visitor Saturday.

Mrs. W. A. Ostrander entertained the L. S. W. Club Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Harry Lawder Jr. returned to her home in Havre De Grace, Md. Saturday, after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Klein.

Mrs. Geo. Blakesly entertained the J. H. Club Monday evening.

Mr. George Drake of Pittsburgh was called here on account of the serious illness of his mother Mrs. Josephine Pogson.

Misses Alice Irons and Ellen Anderson were Mt. Jewett visitors Tuesday.

Sheriff J. F. Robinson was a Port Allegany and Eldred visitor Tuesday.

Miss Edith Andrews student of Westbrook Academy spent the week end with her mother.

Mrs. Alice Lyle and Chloe Lyle were over Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Eberts of Shinglehouse, Pa.

Misses Edith Young and Mayme Colegrove motored to Bradford Friday.

Walter Monheimer of Buffalo spent the week end with his parents here.

Mr. A. J. Gilfillan and Mr. and Mrs. Jos Wirt left Friday for a week at Camp Comfort.

Mrs. F. L. Holmes was an Olean visitor Friday.

B. A. Ball and Alfred Bush are spending a few days on a hunting trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Anderson and daughters, Kathryn and Bernice, were in Bradford Saturday.

Mr. S Keesler, Leona Keesler, Agnes Mundy and Mr. Fritz Kautz were in Olean Thursday.

Mrs. John Saulpaugh entertained the Tuesday bridge Club Friday.

Mrs. Lewis Robinson is a patient at the Bradford hospital.

Mrs. George Blakesly entertained the J. H. Club Monday evening.

Ted Schmitt returned Thursday from a business trip in Harrisburg, Pa.

Misses Leona Keesler and Agnes Mundy spent Friday in Olean, N. Y.

Mr. Fred Specht was a Buffalo visitor Saturday.

The Consonant Club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. Alford Bush, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Josephine Pogson is confined to her home suffering from diphtheria but is slightly improved at this writing.

Miss Iva Bacon of Punxsutawney Pa., spent Sunday with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McCarty, Ruth and Mary McCarty and Norman Schroth motored to Olean Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Larson and son Paul were Mt. Jewett visitors Sunday.

Carl Engstrom of Buffalo, N. Y., spent Monday here.

Mrs. John Haley of Bradford spent Monday here with Mr. and Mrs. John McCarty.

Mrs. Thos. Dunn, Miss Mary McCarty, Mrs. John Schroth and Norman, were Olean visitors Monday.

Misses Edith Young, Eva Hoffman and Mayme Colegrove motored to Olean Monday.

Miss Ellie Johnson of Bradford spent Monday here with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor and Mary Anderson were in Bradford Monday evening.

Mr. George Blakesly of Bradford was in town Monday.

Mrs. S. A. Renicks of Center street was called to Sharon on Friday morning. Her daughter Mrs. Williams was taken seriously ill.

Miss Leonore Lemmler entertained the Emanon club at her home in Church street Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lee of Olean were week end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Sasse.

Miss Jane Marks of Renova, Pa., is spending the week at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Rubin.

Mr. and Mrs. Logue of Olean spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Purtle.

William E. Farnham left for Wellsville, N. Y., Tuesday. From there he will go to Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dr. and Mrs. D. F. Luby and Dr. and Mrs. S. F. Larned, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Butler of Syracuse, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Hall of Ridgeway, and Mrs. Gertrude Cox, and Mr. James Lucas of Philadelphia, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Redfield over the week end.

Mrs. Mary Forrest and Miss Eulaine King were Buffalo visitors this week.

Mrs. E. H. Bosford is on the sick list this week.

PARSONS-MILLER.

The marriage of Miss Harriett Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin A. Miller formerly of Smethport, Pa., now of Rochester, N. Y., and Mr. Ian H. Parsons, son of Sir John Parsons of Taccolm, England, took place on Saturday afternoon, November tenth at Rochester, N. Y.

RED CROSS BUSY THIS WEEK

This is a busy week for those soliciting for the Red Cross membership, a number of ladies are soliciting at every house. At this time the work is not completed, so the results cannot be published before next week. However we feel justified in saying that Smethport will respond nobly as it always does to any worthy cause.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all those who so kindly assisted us during our recent bereavement, at the time of the death of our wife and mother, also for the beautiful floral offerings.

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E. SMETHPORT W. C. T. U.

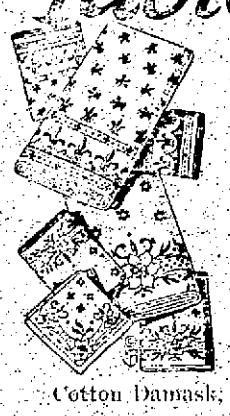
Met Tuesday, P. M., at the home of Mrs. Geo. Fitch, twenty-nine members being present.

Those present were favored by a very interesting talk by Rev. Oviatt, also Mrs. A. L. Gallup.

Good articles were read by a number of the members.

Four new members were gained. After meeting a delicious luncheon was served, after which the ladies marched in a body to the Polls.

Table Linens For Thanksgiving



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WEEKLY COURT NEWS

Oct. 31 to Nov. 7, 1923

Oct. 31 Waldo M. Whitehead and wife to Elmer Chartrean, Bradford, $200. William Vansickles et al to J. F. Farabee, Keating et, $1. J. F. Farabee to William Vansickles et al, Liberty twp., $1. Kane Estate to Emil Johnson, Kane, $250.

Nov. 1. S. A. Mundy and wife to Elizabeth P. Mundy, Trustee, Corydon twp., $1. Cora M. Simon and husband to A. Miller, Otto twp. $1. Nathaniel Eells and wife to Theresa Lauria, Kane, $100.

Nov. 2 Laura M. Groves to John F. Moberg Jr., Kane $1. Otto Larson and wife to Mary Helen Stillman, Hamilton twp., $350. Phebe L. Newell et al to City of Bradford, Brad. $1. Manufacturers Gas Co., to City of Bradford, Brad., $1. Helen E. Willis et al to City of Bradford, Brad.,$1.

Nov. 3 Claude G. Raymond and wife to Dan Casey, Mt. Jewett, $1. Ray Johnson and wife to J. E. London, Wetmore twp., $1. Maynard Johnson and wife to J. E. London, Wetmore twp., $1. Nels P. Johnson and wife to Asa J. Camplain, Kane, $1. M. J. Hays Exr of to Nels P. Johnson, Kane, $1. Nels P. Johnson and wife to Lena Thom, Kane, $1. Mary L. Reed and husband to Dallas L. Millhron, Kane, $1.

Nov. 5 Louis Molezzi and wife to Jos Varatta, Bradford, $825. William Walter Vansickle and wife to J. F. Farabee, Liberty twp., $1. William Hawthorne et al to Luther P. Smith, Bradford, $1. Mike Fitzsimmons and wife to Joseph H. Schwab, Liberty twp., $1.

Nov. 6 Homer G. Barcroft et al to City of Bradford, Brad., $1. B. P. Hardes and wife to Mary L. Hardes, Port Allegany, $1. Same to Alzina Hardes, Port Allegany, $1. Kane Estate to Louis Mansino Kane, $500. Henry Carlson and wife to Otto F. Larson et al Hamilton twp., $1. James B. Walker et al to T. H. Walker, Foster twp., $1. T. H. Walker et al to George A. Walker, Foster twp., $1

MORTGAGES

Nov. 1 Winifred Johnson and husband to McKean County Trust Co., Brad., $1250.

Nov. 2 C. E. Judd to Louis O'Donnell, Brad., $2000. John E. Hasbrouck to McKean County Bld. and Loan Ass'n., Brad., $1400. Albert Bloomquist to David Bloomquist, Mt. Jewett, $1850.

Nov. 3 Dallas L. Millhron to Mary L. Reed, Kane, $3700.

Nov. 6 Emelia Exstrom and husband to Samuel Phillips, Mt. Jewett, $500. Louis Mancino to Kane Bank and Trust Co., Kane, $800. Charles M. Perry to Claus B. Carlson et al, Kane, $1500.

SATISFACTION MORTGAGES

Oct. 31 A. C. Schauer to Sylvester Rich and wife, Brad., $2394.60.

Nov. 1 Georgie M. Wilson to John A. Hilliard and wife, Brad., $3000.

Nov. 2 Esther Watson to John E. Hasbrouck, Brad., $950.

Nov. 3 Florence A. Newell to Nell M. Crittenden and husband, Bradford, $1000.

State Cap. Sav. & Loan Ass'n. to Elizbaeth McQuillan and husband, Kane, $900.

Nov. 5, Raffael Sylvester to Lois Molezzi Bradford, $1000.

Nov. 6. Bradford Bldg and Sav. Ass'n to Rachael E. Brown, Bradford, $800.

JUDGMENTS.

No. 59 Dec 23, R. C. Carlson vs G. G. Winston, $751.02.

No. 61 McKean County Trust Company vs. Luigi Caputo, $315.

No. 63. C. A. Dolley vs. A. J. Nordstrom, E. T. Nordstrom, $1821.91.

No. 67. Santy Angelo vs. G. V. Earrett, John Hasbruck, $341.25.

No. 68. Andrew Sjobeck vs. Elmer Anderson, Mrs. Elmer Anderson, $500.

No. 69. O. R. Bard vs. Elton M. Holden, $316.70.

No. 71. Hamlin Bank & Trust Co. G. W. Brennan, $382.28.

No. 72. Samuel Phillips vs. Mary Paulson, Francis W. Paulson Willard Paulson, $525

NEW SUITS.

No. 56. Dec. 28, Ehel Reed vs. Edward Reed, Divorce.

No. 57. Clara M. Lang vs. Donald W. Lang, Jr. Divorce.

No. 58. Bouchard Plumbing Co. vs. Dr. E. G. Woodard, Appeal.

No. 59. Mittie Welch vs. James M. Welch, Divorce.

No. 61. Citizens Trust Co. a foreign corp vs. Kushequa Brick Co., a corp. Assumpsit.

No. 65. Same vs. Elisha K. Kane, Assumpsit.

No. 66. Mary Bradfield et al vs. St. Marys Garage et al, Trespass.

No. 70. George Pape vs. Bonise Pape, Divorce.

No. 73. Frank Walters vs. Freeman Bunker, Assumpsit.

WEEKLY COURT NEWS

DEEDS.

Nov. 6 Erick Lindberg to Gust Carlson, Wetmore twp., $10.

Same to Same, Wetmore twp., $10.

John Soje and wife to John Lindberg, Wetmore twp., $800.

A. W. Partlett and wife to Erik Lindberg, Wetmore twp., $80.

Nov. 7. Ferdinand D. Waltke and wife, Kane, $1.

David Cornelius and wife to C. C. Howell Bradford, $1.

C. C. Howell and wife to Gordia M. Coon, Bradford, $1.

Mary Alice Steele to Charles E. Chaney et al, Bradford, $1.

Charles E. Chaney et al to Frank Rossi, Bradford, $1.

Nov. 8. Charles J. Gobler to Clarence L. Stewart, Bradford twp. $650.

David R. Morrow and wife to George L. Worden and wife, Bradford $1.

Ralph B. Hule and wife to Florence J. Shippey, Otto twp., $2000.

Florence J. Shippey and husband to Raymond H. Wirtz and wife, Otto twp., $1.

Nov. 9. Lulu E. Reck and husband to Arthur A. Rohrich, Bradford, $1.

Ina Bugli Barker and husband to Ruben W. Wright, Corydon twp. $1.

Phebe L. Newell et al to J. Wesley Coast and wife, Bradford, $1.

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Kane Estate to William Woerner and wife, Kane, $75.

Nov. 10. Leslie R. Flatt and wife, Bradford, $1.

LaVerne Hubbard and wife to Margaret F. Greer, Foster twp., $1.

McKean County Trust Co. to John C. Johnston, Bradford, $5000.

Vincenzo Pino to Hannah E. Brown, $1.

Daniel G. Curtis Exr., to A. W. Peterson, Hamilton twp., $1.

Jennie M. Smith and husband to A. E. Johnson and wife, Smethport $1.

Nov. 12. Uina Dorrion Loop and husband to George P. Meecham Eldred, $800.

Carl J. Lundgren to Sone Lundgren, Sr., Mt. Jewett, $1.

Eugene Dodge and wife to Fredt Johnson Melvin, Bradford, $1.

E. A. Waisman and wife to John W. Dolan and wife, Eldred twp. $1

Nov. 13. John Adolph Johnson to C. E. Johnson, Wetmore twp.$1

Rosa Muntuoro and husband to D. J. Jacobus, Kane, $1.

D. J. Jacobus and wife to Rosa Muntuoro and wife, Kane, $1.

MORTGAGES.

Nov. 7. Frank Rossi to A. F. Hopkins et al, Bradford, $1300.

Same to Mark Rossi, Bradford, $2700.

Nov. 8. George L. Worden and wife to McKean County Bld. & Loan Ass'n, Bradford $1200.

Clarence P. Vandervort and wife to Same, Bradford, $300.

Gerald A. Swezey and wife to Rex J. Manson and wife, Ceres, $1100.

Nov. 9. Joseph Minnich to Bertha A. Matson et al Tr., Otto Twp., $0000.

Aaron S. Bryman to Bradford Bldg L. & Sav. Ass'n. Bradford, $1000.

Nov. 10. Frank M. Tiffany and wife to Leslie R. Flatt and wife Bradford, $1400.

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Lorenzo R. Wilson to McKean Co. Bld. & Loan Ass'n Bradford, $300.

Mary O. Lynch and husband to Bradford Bldg Loan & Sav. Assn. Bradford, $1000.

Nov. 12. Hannah M. Campbell et al to Kane Bank & Trust Co. Kane $1000.

George P. Meecham to J. H. Cawley, Eldred, $600.

Freda Johnson Melvin and husband to McKean County Trust Co., Bradford $1500.

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Same to Raymond J. Cole and wife, Bradford, $900.

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Helen D. Harris et al to Otto Mayo (Otto Leach and husband, Bradford, $1000.

Nov. 13. Wm. E. Hornshaw Exrs of to Chester H. Baker and wife, Ceres, $700.

P. McGhan Exr of to John Winquist, Bradford, $1000.

JUDGMENTS.

No. 75. December Term, 1923. Anna A. Reily vs. E. J. Leonard, Clarence F. Sturms, $760.

No. 76. Calpenio Stewart vs. Nick J. Cicirello, Elizabeth Cicirello, $150.

No. 77. 1st National Bank of Kane vs. William Woerner, Lena Woerner, Chas. Besse, $900.

No. 80. First National Bank of Port Allegany, Pa., vs. Frank Derrick, $300.

No. 81. Same to Same vs. Same' $300.

No. 82. Bovaird & Seafang Mfg Co., vs V S Barrett & on, $7765.83 New nits.

No. 74. Dec. Term 1923. R. W. Obert vs. Lesser Cohn, Appeal.

No. 78. Nellie Smith vs. Fred Smith, Divorce.

No. 79. Erminia Romagnino vs. Joseph Romagnini, Divorce.

Executions.

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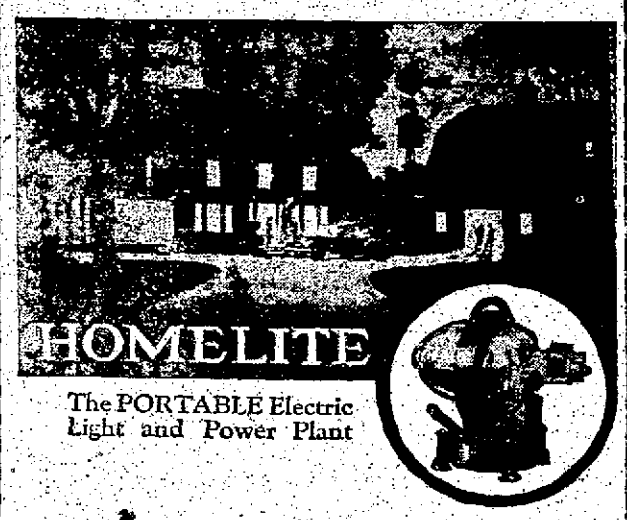

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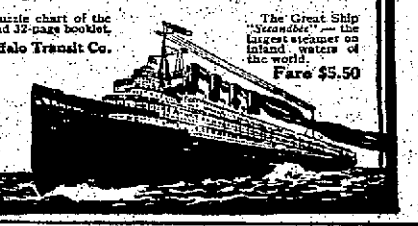

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CHAPTER XVIII

As John Solomon descended, the companion ladder, a sound came to his ears. It was a low, involuntary cry—the only one that Aline Lavergne uttered.

She stood against one wall of the saloon cabin, shrinking from Petit Jean, and yet having no fear in her eyes. In the body, she shrank back; in the spirit, she met him fairly and unafraid. The outlaw, who had seized her wrist, stood leering into her face as though seeking to overwhelm that spirit of hers with his evil power.

"Come!" he was saying. "Come, look at the pearls which shall be yours, the pearls which shall glimmer on your bosom when you are mine—"

"Beggin' your pardon, sir," said the apologetic voice of Solomon, "but I'd like to 'ave a word with you about them 'ere pearls me own self."

Loosing the girl's wrist, Petit Jean turned. He glared at the steward, not comprehending what had been said.

"Get out of there," he ordered.

"Yes, sir," said Solomon, "but I wants to 'ave a word with you first, just like that."

Solomon was stuffing tobacco into his clay pipe in his placid manner. He appeared quite unconcerned, and the gaze of those blank blue eyes fairly staggered Petit Jean for an instant.

"What are you talking about?" snarled the outlaw. "Didn't you hear me say to get out?"

Solomon scratched a match and held it to his pipe.

"You and me," he said wheezily, "are goin' to 'ave a bit o' talk. This 'ere paper was in that box 'o stones, sir. If you'll be so good as to read it, you'll see what I'm a-goin' at. And if I was you, I'd take it calm, as the old gent said when 'e kissed the 'ousekeeper."

Solomon extended a scrap of paper. Astonished and perplexed by this attitude of humility mingled with cool defiance, Petit Jean took it and glanced at the lines of writing. His eyes widened with astounded surprise. Aline Lavergne, at a sign from Solomon, remained motionless where she was.

Dropping the paper, Petit Jean took a step backward, against the table. He was now staring at Solomon; one hand crept behind his back, fumbled with the two little boxes of wood, slipped them into his pocket. Still he stared, an incredulous, uneasy wonder in his eyes.

"You—what sort of joke is this?" he croaked. Hoarse fury crept into his voice. "You fool, have you gone crazy? Lavergne never left this stuff for—for you—"

"Yes, 'e did, just like that 'ere paper says," returned Solomon.

He puffed at his pipe a moment; he was absorbed in this, quite ignoring the menace of that half-crouching, devil-eyed figure against the table. Then he resumed, placidly, as though conducting a perfectly matter-of-fact conversation.

"You see, sir, me and Mr. Lavergne was werry good friends, just like that! I give 'im these 'ere things to keep for me, 'cause why, he'd never ha' took them as a present. Later on, 'I wrote 'im sayin' they was 'is—but I'm afraid that 'ere letter never got to 'im."

A hoarse, incredulous burst of laughter broke from Petit Jean.

"You!" he cried. "You—fool that you are! What mad dream is this?"

"Why, sir, it's all gospel!" exclaimed Solomon, looking slightly injured. "So when I come to see me old friend, and 'eard as 'ow them 'ere Mucartys were a-planning some injury to Miss Aline, why, I ups an' makes me own plans, just like that! Them 'ere two Arabs in Ah Lee's gang, they was werry good friends o' mine. So was Ah Lee."

Solomon came to an end, and went on puffing calmly at his pipe.

Petit Jean, who was transfixed by the calm placidity of these disclosures, at length began to believe them. His astounded brain was forced to believe them. Yet, as he stared at Solomon, he could only believe that the pudgy little man was a blundering fool.

"So it's all true, is it?" he exclaimed, and broke into a demoniac cackle of mirth. "You expect me to give you those two boxes, do you?"

His laughter shrilled horribly. He thrust one hand into a pocket, and produced his automatic pistol.

"Wait a minute!" exclaimed Solomon, clapping one hand to his pocket. "If you'll be so good as to look at these 'ere accounts with you, sir, in the matter o' these stones, I expect as 'ow you'll find them all shipshape—"

He drew out a little red notebook, as though quite unconscious of the pistol that was trained on him. He thumbed over the pages of the notebook, nodded with a satisfied air, and stepped forward. He offered the pistol that lay at his feet, and extended the notebook.

Petit Jean was held in leash by curiosity, like any wild beast. He could not figure out what this little old man, so absolutely helpless in appearance, was delving at. There was no menace in the air of Solomon. When Petit Jean took the notebook, Solomon stepped back again and went on smoking. His face was quite expressionless.

Aline Lavergne looked from one to the other, spellbound by the scene.

Holding the notebook in one hand, Petit Jean looked at what was written in it. As he read, his face changed horribly; his eyes dilated, his lips curled back from his teeth, an atrocious contortion seized on the muscles of his face. With an oath, he dashed the notebook to the floor and glared at Solomon.

"So it was you—" he mouthed, and stopped, panting.

"Yes, sir, it was me as cut that 'ere tiller rope this morning," said Solomon calmly. He paused, listening. In the silence all three persons were suddenly aware of a tramping of feet on the deck above.

"Them 'ere are me men, I expect, and Mr. Fortier with 'em," went on Solomon. "It was me as put this 'ere yacht ashore—I had 'em waitin' for a signal from me, you see. And it was me as killed that 'ere feather 'o' yours, Gros Michel. A werry bad man 'e was, too and—"

From Petit Jean burst a horrible cry. He jerked up the pistol and fired point-blank. Aline Lavergne uttered a scream.

Solomon calmly knocked the bottle from his pipe.

"There ain't no bullets in them 'ere cartridges, sir," he said. "If I was you I—"

Petit Jean burst into the inhuman, diabolic cry of a tortured wild beast. He dropped the pistol, whipped out that long knife of his, and flung himself forward.

At this instant, the figure of Fortier, followed by the two Arabs, appeared in the doorway. Solomon was jerked aside.

The mad rush of Petit Jean was checked by the fist of Fortier. From the lips of the outlaw shrilled another howl, so instinct with utter ferocity that it chilled the blood. He plunged at the group of men, his knife darting in and out with the swiftness of light.

But, if he was swift, the hand of Fortier was swifter. Gripping that lean wrist, Fortier held it in fingers of iron. His fist crashed again into that snarling, demoniac visage. Both men lost their balance on the inclined deck and fell. Over them thrust the two Arabs, in whose hands were short lengths of line.

At this moment there was a slight shock, as another craft bumped gunwales with the yacht. It passed unobserved by those in the saloon.

"All right!" Fortier sprang to his feet, laughing excitedly. "He's safe!"

Petit Jean still struggled, but his frantic efforts availed him nothing. One of the Arabs stooped over, took from Jean's pocket the two little boxes of wood, and handed them to Solomon. The latter nodded.

"Rope 'im good, now! 'e's a-goin' to answer in court for them 'ere murders. Mr. Fortier, I 'opes as 'ow you got them two men up above?"

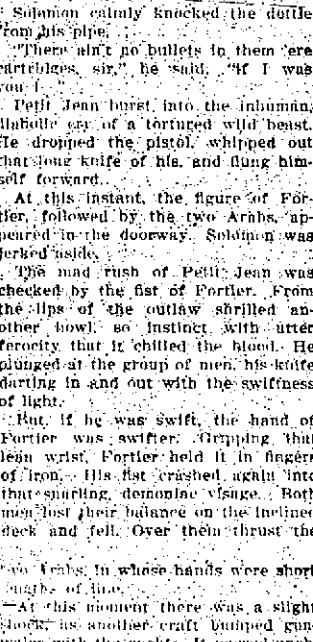
Fortier nodded. "They're tied up."

"They 'ad a 'and in the murders. The other three will be along after a bit, too. If we—'ello! Dang it, if she ain't went an' fainted!"

The figure of Aline had slipped to the floor.

Fortier tried to catch her, too late. He raised her head, supporting her in his arms, and was about to speak. The words died on his lips. Solomon, catching his fixed gaze, turned and looked at the door.

In the doorway stood Thompson,



In the Doorway Stood Thompson.

pistol in hand, eyes fastened on Solomon.

"You dirty little cockney!" exclaimed the second mate. "You will swear my life away, will you? Well, you won't do it again, blast you! I'll fix you so that—"

The pistol in his hand vomited flame. With a cry, the two Arabs flung themselves on the man; knives flashed; the figures went reeling away from sight toward the companionway. Thompson's voice sounded in a choked cry, then was silenced abruptly.

"Dang it!" said Solomon. "If I 'adn't clean forgot that 'ere man! This is what comes o' helpin' careless, as the old gent said when 'e married 'is third and—"

His voice failed. His knees crumpled suddenly, and he pitched forward across the inanimate figure of Petit Jean.

CHAPTER XIX

At a dirty table in a filthy restaurant of the old quarter of New Orleans—a restaurant huddled in one portion of an old house that had been built by the great Marigny—sat a man in whose hand was a newspaper.

This man was reading the newspaper with attention. It was not a fresh newspaper; it was an old and crumpled copy which he had found in his chair. He was reading, in that paper, an account of the trial and sentence of Petit Jean Hennepin and his accomplices. The date of execution had been set for noon on the tenth of the month.

Suddenly the man lifted his head.

"Why!" he exclaimed, with a startled air. "Why—sure it is! This is the tenth—today! What d'you know about that, now! Today!"

A slight noise attracted his attention, and he looked up at the wall above his head. Upon the wall hung a clock, dirty and fly-specked, with broken front glass, but still proclaiming the time. From the clock proceeded a faint, whirring noise—then the clock struck.

The man stared at it, fascinated, a species of terror in his gaze. At the twelfth stroke, he shuddered slightly, then drew a deep breath as though something had missed him narrowly.

This man was Thompson.

Noon of the same day was witnessing a very different scene at Cypremort plantation. In a comfortable chair on the front gallery, sat John Solomon, puffing at his clay pipe. An old red tarboosh was cocked on one side of his head, and a silk dressing-gown enveloped his pudgy figure.

One of his two Arabs, now clad in snow-white garments, appeared and salaamed.

"Master, the hakim effendi!"

The doctor from Lafouche came forward cheerily, followed by the smiling Aline Lavergne. Solomon laid down his pipe and allowed the physician to inspect a cicatrix in his left side. The doctor straightened up, and turned to Aline with a laugh.

"In another week, Miss Aline, your patient won't have even a dimple to show for it. You'll not need me again, I'm glad to say."

"Oh, good!" exclaimed the girl quickly. At the sound of a step, she turned to meet Fortier. Her face was beaming. "Doctor Dubois isn't even coming again, Mr. Fortier—it's absolutely all right, just as we thought! You will stay for luncheon, of course, doctor. What's that you have, Mr. Fortier?"

Smiling, Fortier held up a half-blown pink magnolia blossom.

"The big tree down yonder," and he nodded toward the garden, "is just coming into full bloom—it's away ahead of the others? Here is the first blossom for you—"

"Oh, I must see it!" Seizing the waxen bloom, the girl carried it to Solomon and, with an affectionate pat, laid it in his hand. "For you—I'm going to run and look at the tree quickly—we'll get some more of them for the table!"

She departed, Fortier at her elbow. Smiling to himself, Doctor Dubois sat down and lighted a cigarette.

"I don't suppose as 'ow you brought any mail in your launch?" inquired Solomon. "I was lookin' for a parcel that—"

"Brought a whole bag of it," returned the physician. "Ah—your man has it!"

One of the Arabs appeared, bringing a box. Solomon commanded him to open it. From the box was produced a large, flat case of morocco.

This Solomon took. He pressed the spring, opened the case, and glanced at what lay within. Then he nodded, and chuckled wheezily.

"A werry good job they made of it, too," he said. "It's a bit of a trick, mountin' up some o' the werry finest stones in the world and a'makin' a necklace of 'em! It ain't every one as knows 'ow to do it right, as the old gent said when 'e kissed the 'ousemaid. Mebbe you'd like to 'ave a look at 'em, sir?"

He handed the case to the physician. The latter opened it, and at sight of what lay within, a gasp escaped him.

"My heavens, Solomon! I never dreamed such things existed—"

Solomon took up his pipe and chuckled wheezily.

"That 'ere, sir, is a-goin' to make a werry nice weddin' present, so to speak! That is, if I ain't mistook. And I ain't often mistook, as the old gent said when 'e 'ired the pretty cook."

Somewhere within the house, a deep-toned clock was striking noon.

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High noon in still another place—this time, amid a waste of great hills of green water where a tiny schooner, like a toy ship, was driven up and across the surging crests with endless insistence.

Upon her forward deck three black men, naked Bahamans, sat in the lee of the booming, tight-bellied foresail and rolled dice—talking, laughing, shouting with the glee of children. Aft, beside the helm, stood a gaunt, powerful man in whose face were the marks of suffering; lines of weakness about the mouth were offset by the blazing strength of the hollow eyes, by the determination and latent power of the whole face.

Down in the cabin, Capt. Tom Wrexham adjusted his cravat carefully, then looked up at a picture which had been framed and set near his bunk. It was the picture of a girl whose eyes looked out at him with a deep, clear serenity. As he met those eyes, the face of Wrexham softened.

"So you like the schooner, lass?" he soliloquized. "Aye, she's a sweet craft! Well, I'll have to be leaving you a bit, unless time to change watches and see what that cook's got dished up!"

He stamped up on deck. At sight of him, the black men up forward ceased their shouting abruptly, ceased their dicing and laughing, and scrambled to their feet. Captain Wrexham went aft, glanced at the binnacle, and nodded to his mate.

"Well, Mr. Philbrick! You're looking fine and hearty today. Making a new man of you, I am. It's a rum go, this. Sorry you came to see, are you?"

"Yes," he answered. "Yes—and no."

"Ran away to sea at last!" Wrexham chuckled. "Hullo—what you lookin' at?"

Philbrick had turned to look at the empty horizon behind him. He started quickly, and shook his head.

"Nothing."

"Nothing, eh?" Wrexham chuckled again. "Thinkin' about that girl back there, are you—that Cypremort place? Want to go back? homesick?"

"Yes," said Philbrick, with a helpless gesture.

"Oh!" Wrexham fingered his curly, square-cut beard for a moment. "Well, if you want to get back there, the course is nor'west by three-quarters north, Mr. Philbrick."

The gaunt, gray man started suddenly. Eagerness filled out his voice.

"What!" he exclaimed. "What! D'you mean we're going to head back? Back home?"

Wrexham gave him a hard, cynical look.

"No, I don't. I was just tellin' you for your own information. What's the course?"

"Southeast by a half south, sir," and Philbrick's voice was dead.

"Very good—keep it so," said Wrexham coldly.

A long moment passed. The ropes twanged and sang, the long churn of foam under the lee rail trailed whitely out behind. Suddenly Philbrick spoke again.

"Eight bells, sir. Noon."

"Make it so."

Wrexham took the wheel. Philbrick went forward to the polished brass bell, and struck it. With the last two strokes, he released the cord and went to the companionway. There, for a moment, he stood looking out across the horizon to the northwest.

Then he lowered his head and went below.

"I'll make a man of him yet!" said Wrexham, and chuckled.

[THE END.]

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combination and locked it. As she rose from the safe the man fired the fatal shot.

Other Bandits Shoot.

The other bandits who were covering the clerks, hearing the shots, also fired wounding Mr. Bigham and young Sherwood. One of the bandits was holding a gun at Wrights' head but he did not fire. The four men then ran from the place.

Dr. Chester Stewart and Dr. A. H. Cooke were summoned. They could do nothing for Mrs. Bigham as she had been killed instantly. They treated the wounded men, however, and removed them to their homes. Police say Mr. Bigham was taken immediately to a sanitarium out of town.

Police say the hold-up and murder in the drug store was one of the most brazen of its kind on record. According to the clerks, the bandits were cool and collected even after the shots were fired, and stopped long enough to rifle the cash register, where they obtained about $40.

Tracing the course of the bullet that had killed Mrs. Bigham, it was found that it went through her head, through a show case, glanced upward and struck a small can on a shelf and then fell to the floor.

WOMAN ROBBED ON MUCH TRAVELED ROAD.

Warren, Nov. 8.—Shortly after 9 o'clock Tuesday night the sheriff's office was notified that a woman had been held up and robbed above Akeley. Deputies Muir and Griffiths started immediately for the scene and were joined later by Chief Wholeben and Captain White of the city police force. After arriving at the scene, the officers found that the alleged crime had been committed in New York state, and they had no jurisdiction in the case, but they made a search of the vicinity for the robber without success.

The story told the officers was to the effect that Mrs. Henry Stuart was going along the new state road in her auto, to meet her husband, who is employed on the road. At a point just this side of Fortonville, a man jumped out in front of the she had no money, but he saw her pocketbook and made an endeavor to get it away from her. During the scuffle that followed the robber secured one-half of a five-dollar bill which he had taken from the purse, but he had to be content with this as he evidently became scared at the outcry made and vanished into the darkness. During the tussle received a bad bruise over the right eye and several cuts and scratches about the face and chest.

HUNTER IS CHARGED WITH MANSLAUGHTER.

Kane, Nov. 12.—A hunter who shoots another hunter in the woods faces serious charges nowadays as was demonstrated this morning by the arrest of Harry Kersker, who is responsible for the death of one hunter and the wounding of another in Potter county, a few days ago. The arrest was made by Game Protector Hokarth, of Smethport, and Kersker faces a charge of involuntary manslaughter.

The shooting occurred in the Kettle Creek region in the vicinity of Carter Camp. William J. Wytchum was instantly killed and George Kasko was wounded in the shoulder, they being mistaken by Kersker for bears. All of the participants in the shooting reside in Hazelton.

One version of the incident follows: It seems that some members of the party had been lost and others were signaling to locate them. Kersker was on top of one of the mountains and on the way down met a party from Harrisburg who said there were bears in the vicinity. A little farther down he saw two dark objects coming up the hill which he thought to be bears, and he fired a shot from a 44 Winchester.

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DIVORCE NOTICE

Dorothy E. Huber
vs.
Ferdinand L. Huber,

No. 87, June Term, 1923.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting:

Whereas Dorothy E. Huber, did on the 2nd day of May, 1923, prefer her petition to our said Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, therein set forth that she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you Ferdinand L. Huber.

We therefore command you, the said Ferdinand L. Huber, that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear in your proper persoir before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas here to be held for the County of McKean on the tenth day of December, 1923, next and show cause if any you have why the said Dorothy E. Huber, your wife should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeably to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

A true copy.

J. F. ROBINSON, Sheriff.
Lester H. Simons.
Atty for Libellant.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa.
November 5, 1923.
Adv. 45,4t.

DIVORCE NOTICE

Eva McGee
vs.
Paul M. McGee

No. 98, June Term, 1923.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting.

Whereas Eva McGee did on the 4th day of May, 1923, prefer her petition to our said Judges of the Court of Common Pleas therein set forth that she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you Paul M. McGee.

We therefore command you, the said Paul M. McGee, that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas here to be held for the County of McKean on the tenth day of December, 1923, next and show cause if any you have why the said Eva McGee your wife should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeably to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

A true copy.

J. F. ROBINSON, Sheriff.
T. F. Mullin,
F. A. Stebbins,
Attys for Libellant.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa.
November 5, 1923.
Adv. 45,4t.

DIVORCE NOTICE

Grace Frost
vs.
Charles C. Frost.

No. 94, October Term, 1923.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting:

Whereas Grace Frost did on the 24th day of July, 1923, prefer her petition to our said Judges of the Court of Common Pleas therein set forth that she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you Charles C. Frost.

We therefore command you, the said Charles C. Frost that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas here to be held for the County of McKean on the tenth day of December, 1923, next and show cause if any you have why the said Grace Frost your wife should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeably to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

A true copy.

J. F. ROBINSON, Sheriff.
Wilson & Fitzgibbon,
Attys for Libellant.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa.
November 5, 1923.
Adv. 45,4t.

DIVORCE NOTICE

Henry Bopp
vs.
Lydia Bopp

No. 76, December Term, 1923.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting:

Whereas Henry Bopp did on the 10th day of November, 1922 prefer his petition to our said Judges of the Court of Common Pleas therein set forth that he might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you Lydia Bopp.

We therefore command you, the said Lydia Bopp, that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas here to be held for the County of McKean on the tenth day of December, 1923, next and show cause if any you have why the said Henry Bopp your husband should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeably to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

A true copy.

J. F. ROBINSON, Sheriff.
Melvin & Melvin,
Attys for Libellant.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa.
November 5, 1923.
Adv. 45,4t.

DIVORCE NOTICE

Hazel I. Bain
vs.
Mathew R. Bain

No. 52, June Term, 1923.

McKEAN COUNTY, ss The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to the Sheriff of said County, Greeting

Whereas Hazel I. Bain did on the 7th day of April, 1923, prefer her petition to our said Judges of the Court of Common Pleas therein set forth that she might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with you Matthew R. Bain.

We therefore command you, the said Matthew R. Bain that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport at a Court of Common Pleas here to be held for the County of McKean on the tenth day of December, 1923, next and show cause if any you have why the said Hazel I. Bain, your wife should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony agreeably to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided. Herein fail not.

A true copy.

J. F. ROBINSON Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa.
November 5, 1923.
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